



6.1 Generate Keystore File

Required to upload the app at Google Play

To generate a release certificate, You have to generate a Keystore file. To generate a Keystore file, run this command below from the root of your project directory.

Mac

Windows

```
keytool -genkey -v -keystore ~/upload-keystore.jks -keyalg RSA -keysize 2048
```

- Enter your details and remember the **password**. After this, you will get an **upload-keystore.jks** Keystore file.
- Locate this file and move the file into the **android/app** folder.
- Then go to the **android/key.properties** file and replace the **password** which you have inputted to generate the Keystore file.

```
android > key.properties
1 storePassword=
2 keyPassword=
3 keyAlias=upload
4 storeFile=/Users/rakibbhuiyan/Desktop/imac/final_projects/recipe_hour/source/wordpress_app/android/app/upload-keystore.jks
```

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